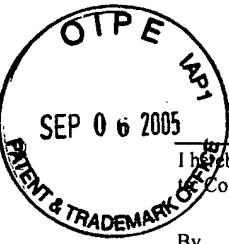


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**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE
TO A RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

This amendment is being filed in response to a written restriction requirement mailed on August 26, 2005. Applicant hereby elects the claims of Group I (Claims 1-36, 56-80 and 97 drawn to a genus of the Formula I compound wherein R⁴ is a group of Formula IA and composition classified in class 544, subclasses 211 and others, class 514, subclasses 241 and others depending upon the preferred embodiment of Formula IA), with traverse. Applicant provisionally elects 1-[7-(2-Chloro-phenyl)-8-(4-chloro-phenyl)-2-methyl-pyrazolo[1,5-a][1,3,5]triazin-4-yl]-3-ethylamino-azetidine-3-carboxylic acid amide as the elected specie upon which the Examiner can initiate the examination of the elected claims. Applicants hereby reserve the right of rejoinder of any withdrawn claims in accordance with the provisions of MPEP §821.04.

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